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**RE: MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT
RIGHT-TO-KNOW
06/29/2020 Request - Agency Extension Notice**

Dear Ms. Lipton:

On June 29, 2020, you made a record request to the Township under Pennsylvania's Right-to-Know Law.¹ For ease of reference, your Request is attached. This letter shall serve as the Township's Section 902 Notice for a 30-day extension.

This extension of time is required for several reasons: (1) a general review is necessary to determine whether such requested records exist; (2) a legal review is necessary to determine whether the requested records are subject to access and/or require redaction in accordance with Section 706 of the Law; and (3) a timely response to the request for access cannot be accomplished due to legitimate staffing limitations.²

A response is expected within 30 calendar days from the date of this letter, which will be no later than Thursday, August 6, 2020.

Very truly yours,

DEBORAH A. RIVAS
MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP
Open Records Officer

Attachment

¹ See e.g., 65 P.S. §67.101 *et seq.*

² See 65 P.S. §67.902 [Extension of time].

Date Rec'd: 6-29-20
Response Due: 7-7-20
(5 Bus. Days)
30 Day Ext: Yes
Due Date: 8-6-20
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From: 97123-13129900@requests.muckrock.com <97123-13129900@requests.muckrock.com>

Sent: Monday, June 29, 2020 5:05 AM

To: Police <Police@montgomerytp.org>

Subject: Pennsylvania Right to Know Act Request: Law enforcement informal and formal settlement data and reports (Montgomery Township Police Department)

Montgomery Township Police Department
RTK Office
1001 Stump Rd P.O. Box 68
Montgomeryville, PA 18936



June 29, 2020

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Pennsylvania Right to Know Act, I hereby request the following records:

Materials related to and sufficient to show all instances of alleged or actual inappropriate or illegal behavior or actions resulting in compensation or expenditures involving this agency.

Responsive materials include records of all settlements (formal and informal) and payments to which this agency was or is a party for the period from January 1, 2010 through the date this request is processed. Responsive materials include those for matters and legal claims resolved prior to the initiation of any litigation.

In particular, materials responsive to this request include all reports, lists, databases, spreadsheets, and other documentation detailing incidents of legal claims or other allegations requiring compensation for claimants, attorneys, or any other party.

If spreadsheets or similar documents are available in response to this request, please provide all segregable data, including but not limited to:

- The nature of the claim or legal matter
- The claimant and other parties involved
- The relevant case and tracking numbers for court and internal systems
- The date the lawsuit was served or litigation commenced
- The final disposition or current status of the case, including whether a case is still pending
- The amount spent to date as a result of the legal engagement
- The amount paid to any parties related to the legal claim, including any city payout and any non-monetary compensation

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 5 business days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Beryl Lipton

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